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Dear Josh,

I see that you have moved to a more salubrious climate. So have I; and I am transmitting this otherwise not very thrilling news because I am anxious to remain on your mailing list. (Your Nobel address and the paper on antibody production were thoroughly enjoyable.)

Between my colleagues, the Lannis, and my wife's interest in transforming principle, I have been transduced into a DNA-juggler. So far, the chief thing I notice is that my instrumentation costs have gone up - departed are the happy innocent days when I could work with nothing flossier than a colorimeter. I console myself by thinking that I am at least finding some use for my training as a physicist.

I am somewhat belated in offering my felicitations on the award; but I hope you will believe that it gave me real pleasure to hear the news.

With best regards,

John M. Reiner

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